

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE MIDDLE DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA**

**JOSEPH BATTS,**  
**Petitioner**

**v.**

**STEPHEN SPAULDING,**  
**Respondent**

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**No. 1:22-cv-00469**

**(Judge Kane)**

**ORDER**

**AND NOW**, on this 31st day of October, 2022, upon consideration of the petition (Doc. No. 1) for writ of habeas corpus, and for the reasons set forth in the accompanying

Memorandum, **IT IS ORDERED THAT:**

1. The petition (Doc. 1) for writ of habeas corpus is **DISMISSED WITHOUT PREJUDICE**; and
2. The Clerk of Court is directed to **CLOSE** this case.

s/ Yvette Kane  
Yvette Kane, District Judge  
United States District Court  
Middle District of Pennsylvania